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TUESDAY MARCH 5, 1895.

The Fifty-third Congress has passe into history, and the term of the Fiftyfourth has begun, though this latter body as a whole has not yet been formally organized. "The king is dead, long live the king." is the cry in monarchical countries. "The Fifty-third Congress is dead. Make way for the Fifty-fourth." But how different the composition or political complexion of the House of Representatives— the people's chamber—of the Fifty-fourth Congress from the composition or political complexion of the House of Representatives of the Fifty-third Congress. The latter body is set down as consisting of 219 Democrats; 124 Republicans; 12 Populists, and 1 vacancy. The former body (the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fourth Congress) is classified as follows: Republicant, 244; Democrats, 104; Populists, 6; Silverite, 1. These figures make it appear reasonably certain that the President will not convene Congress in extra session between now and the first Monday in December next unless there should be developed hereafter some reason which does not now exist for so It has often been said that the Presi-

dent who calls an extra session of Congress destroys his own prospects for se curing a nomination for a second term; but this saying is one in which Mr. Cleveland is not concerned, seeing that he is already serving out his second term, and the unwritten law of the republic forbids him to serve a third term. In other words Mr. Cleveland is free to assemble Congress in extra session or not, as his best judgment shall dictate, and cannot be accused of having been influenced in his decision by any selfish or personal conriderations. If it be said that he may force the Republicans to show their hand by summoning Congress to assemble before the time fixed by law, it may be upheld that the rule would hold good as against the Democrats, who would also be forced to show their hand.

If there shall be no extra session, we may regard the next presidential campaign as already "on." "Skirmishing for position" will be begun at once, for from the time of the first regular meeting of than a year before the next presidential postpone campaign work so long. This "skirmishing for position," let us add, may be largely inside of party lines. This fact will induce the party leaders to see to it that all the work which can be possibly done in the way of setting presidential triggers shall be done before the first Monday in December next. We have written thus far as if no ac-

count were to be taken of the new issues and new parties which have already made their appearance or may be expected to make their appearance in the presidential field. The Republican party is an antisilver party, as a rule, though there are many silverites in it. The Democratic party is a silver party, as a rule, though there are many anti-silverites in it. The Democrats of New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Delaware, and Maryland are just as good gold monometallists as are the Republicans of the same States. On the other hand, the Republicans of Ohio, Michigan, and some other western or Rocky Mountain Republican States, are as decidedly silverites as are the Democrats of any of the Democratic shver States. We do not think that for President the Republicans will fail to nominate a regular Republican, nor the Democrats fail to nominate a regular Democrat. But both parties may put their candidates upon platforms inconsistent with the records of the nominees themselves, as both parties did in 1892.

This forecast will fall to "materialize" if the International Bimetallic Conference settles the silver question this year, or even convinces the financial world that it is soon to be settled. The silver question out of the way, the Democratic party would have every reason to expect the ship of state to enter upon a prosperous voyage, and that party to aid in centering upon its sails the gales which will waft it into a haven of good times.

Hawait. The friends in this country of the republic in Hawaii cannot but feel a deep interest in the fate of the persons who in Honolulu have been tried there and found guilty of the several offences wherewith they were charged. That the powerful government of the United States was behind the enemies of the deposed Queen was no doubt the universal belief of the parties on both sides. Mr. Cleveland has not been regarded as particularly friendly to any of the Ha-wallan schemes, but he has hitherto held his peace and has also withheld his en-dorsement of what he did not like in the conduct of the persons who overturned the Queen's government. How he stands a: 'ected now we cannot say; but we have no doubt that he dislikes very much the trials of various citizens for frimes of one description and another. They remind one of the old saying that chfidren aught not to be allowed to play

We expect President Cleveland to be proceedings of the little republic in the Pacific shall have come to an end. was not at any time over-friendly to the new republic, at least so it was supposed, and these last proceedings of the "revolutionists," as they used to be called, cannot commend them to his

a secret history of these trials and of all the proceedings against the enemies of the new republic. We can't think that of the new republic. We can't think that these long sentences are expected to be executed. Thirty-five years of imprisonment and ten thousand dollar fines cannot be looked upon by the civilized world as sentences which a republic on its first hags should either pronounce or sanction. Here comes in a demand for the projected cable between this country and

Hawaii, which was on Sunday defeated for the present in conference. Uncle Sam desires "the situation" to be so altered as that he may lay his finger upon the "tignt little island," or islands, at any hour of the day or night. He can never feel easy so long as a valuable outlying "dependency" is separated from There is no necessity to wait any longer. In the case of Texas, the United States Congress adopted a resolution declaring that war existed "by the act of Mexico," and proceed at once to show the "Grea-sers" what sort of war Uncle Sam could carry on. The result was that in due time he added vastly to his possessions by taking off a large slice from Mexico. But we need not pass any justifying resolution in the case before us. The the acquisition of Hawaii, and congress men who oppose the measure are behind the times.

"What are you newspaper-people going to write about now that Congress has adjourned?" is a question

quently asked of editors, correspondents, reporters, etc. It seems generally supposed that about 95 per cent, of the average newspaper's space is filled with matter pertaining to Congress, and that with Congress gone the bottom will drop out of the journalistic bucket. Both ideas are erreneous. Congress is not accorded as much space as people think it is; nor will Congress be missed so very much. And before Congress is fairly out of sight we shall have the spring elections upon us. They will hardly be over before watering-place letters will be trans fixing our attention. And next we shall have the Virginia legislative campaigna campaign which is going to be unique and interesting, in which we shall se Republicans, Prohibitionists, Populists and "kicking" Democrats united to over

throw our party and to selze the patronage of our State Government. So, of politics, we shall have an averagyear's share during 1895, and there is other very important work to be done. With our United States bonds selling at home and abroad at about 120, we may rest satisfied that our country has not yet gone to the dem. bow-wows. For aught that we can see to the con trary, it is a country still worth dying for and turning a penny in. If there is any better country for the average son of toil to make a livelihood in we wish some "constant reader" of ours would send us a postal-card stating whereabout it is to be found on the map also, a statement of what is the price of

a railroad or steamboat ticket thither. The odds are that most of us are going to spend the remainder of our lives in these United States. So let's cease regretting that we were not mem bers of the Fifty-third Congress, and that the other fellows were not kept at home. Let's cease blaming the Demo crats for every sort of thing, and query our own minds whether any action of Congress of the late session could have raised the price of wheat, tobacco, and cotton. What is really wanted to boom business is a great demand at Liverpoo and London for wheat, cotton, and tobacco at 25 or 50 per cent advance on

present prices.

We expect to see a steady improvement in business right straight along now. Before we know it, business may be fairly under way again. Some bright day in the near future we shall be, perhaps, as much surprised at the headway business has made as is the man who has been growling and grumbling below deck when he comes up and finds that the steamer has loosed her moorings, and is in mid-stream, with her prow pointed to the open sea.

Congress and Appomattor. It was not expected that any action would be taken at this session of Congress in relation to the conversion of Appomattox battle-field into a national military park. At least not expected by the Dispatch; but others are of the opinion that had dgn, and it would not suit the purlittle more active, a bill could have been easily prepared and put through. However that may be, the fact remains that no action was taken. The resolution on the subject introduced by Mr. Tucker was "by request," and did not embody his own views or the plan of the Appomattox

county committee.

Before Congress meets again, we hope that the Appomattox county committee, Congressman Tucker, and Senators Daniel and Martin will come together and frame a bill, which will embody the details of the legislation to be asked for. After these gentlemen have agreed upon to the Grand Camp of Confederate Veterans of Virginia for its approval, and if approved it would have, we should think the support of all our members of Con-

Gentlemen who have informed themselves upon this subject are of the opinion that we can get a bill through which will be entirely acceptable to the people of Virginia, and which will protect ail of our interests in the matter of monu-

Indeed, the opinion is growing that it may be quite possible to arrange to have one monument—one, and no more. A wellknown ex-Confederate soldier, a widely known man, writes a letter to us, which we publish in this issue, saying that a monument on which Lee and Grant stand shaking hands is all that is wanted at

Appomattox. At any rate we wish our people to feel that their interests are in safe hands. We may be quite sure that the legislation which will be asked for will be creditable to us as a State. We may depend upon the Appomattox committee, our Grand Camp, Mr. Tucker, and Senators Daniel and Martin not to commit us to the support of any measure which will be distasteful to our people, or repugnant to the senti-ments and opinions of the veterans of Lee and Johnston.

Delegates to Monetary Convention The three delegates to the international

bimetallic conference chosen by the United States Senate are James K. Jones, of Arkansas, Democrat; Henry M. Teller, of Colorado, Re-publican, and John W. Daniel, of Virginia, Democrat. Three delegates from the House are to be members of the Fifty-fourth Congress, and are to be appointed by the Speaker. The House of Representatives on Sun-

day unanimously asked Speaker Crisp to appoint himself one of these delegates.

A Few of the Dead Bills. The Nicaragua-canal bill falled to be considered in the House of Representa-tives, though it had passed the Senate. The bankruptcy bill was killed by other

bills. "The so-called pop-gun tariff bills-free sugar, free coal, and free iron-were not even honored by consideration," says the

The Mahone-lot amendment also failed of passage. It was striken out by the conferrees. So as to the Honolulu cable

Congress did its duty when it agreed to pay the sugar-producers the bounty which they were entitled to. It was a question of good faith, and the Congress, as in duty bound, determined to keep faith with the planters.

Old troubles of the Sixty-ninth Battalion, New York State Guard, have broken out afresh. The contention just now arises from the antagonism of a majority of the officers to Major Duffy, who is in command of the battalion. The hostility to the Major has taken definite shape in the past week, and a communication,

of the captains, has been forwarded from New York city to Albany. It is not tion is in, as the promulgators will not state whether it is a petition or a formal request that Major Duffy be relieved of the command.

D. G. Porter writes to the New York Tribune from Waterbury, Conn., saying that it may be well "to remind those who are interested in this question that neither 1900 nor 1901 is strictly correct as the year of the beginning of the new cen-tury." Both these numbers, he says, in volve a mistake. "The letters A. D. in their chronological use are supposed to indicate the date of our Lord's birth; but they do not do so in fact. Dionysius Exiguus, who introduced this method of reckoning time, made a mistake in his calculations, and fixed the date of the birth of Christ about five years too late; so that reckoning from the true A. D. the present year would be 1900 instead of 1895, and next year would begin the new

The site selected for the Baltimore Exposition of 1897 is Clifton, the country seat of the late Johns Hopkins, who founded and endowed with \$7,000,000 the Johns Hopkins University and Hospita-The property is situated on the new Bell Line railroad. It comprises over 300 acres. .The exposition plans contemplate an expenditure of about \$5,000,000, which is to

be raised in Baltimore. After the use of the Clifton property for the exposition it will be turned into city park. A million dollars has been se aside for its purchase.

Final action will be taken in a short time by the governing boards of the Astor. Lenox, and Tilden trust libraries, and New York will then have a library which will be greater than any other in this country. The plan provides for the consolidation of the three libraries and the private library of the late Samuel J. Tit den into one great organization, contain ing more than 450,000 bound volumes, as immense collection of valuable pamph lets, manuscripts, and paintings, and property and endowments amounting to over \$8,000,000.

We take it that our Comorn correspon dent's reference to "Mother Shipton's pro-phecy" is jocular. That prophecy is a "fake"-1, c., it wasn't written until after nearly all the things predicted had oc curred. In other words, it is a sort of "ex post facto" prediction.

Dr. Curry's book on "The Southern States of the American Union" is the subject of a column review by Samuel Bar rett, of Washington, Ga., which is printed in the Atlanta Journal of Saturday.

the highway to prosperity, and is a very active, progessive, and promising yearling Lieutenant-Colonel Frank Markoe has

celebrated its first anniversary. It is on

been nominated to command the Fifth Maryland Regiment, to succeed Colone William A. Boykin,

HALL ON THE BANJO'S ORIGIN.

The Great Player Agrees With Polk Miller and the Dispatch.

The question of the origin of the banjo was discussed last week by Mr. E. M. Hall, of Al. Field's Minstrel Company Mr. Hall is known all over the contry as one of the most expert banjoists ever as one of the most expert annouss even before the public, and to-day gains popu-lar and merited recognition wherever he goes. Mr. Hall is acquainted with Mr. Polk Miller and the Dispatch's articles of late on the subject of the banjo came to his notice.

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Meeting Mr. Miller in Petersburg. Mr. Miller being on his way to the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College, while en route to Richmond, he called on Mr. H. F. Smith, manager of Polk Miller, and in course of conversatior said substantially that it was in the forties that Joe Sweeney was the first to properly string up the banjo. He used only four strings, which made the banjo that the negroes used. Varying numbers of strings have been tried, but it has been found that the best results can be secured from five. Mr. Hall said Mr. Miller is right in his statement that Joe Sweeney added the fifth or "thumb string," and the Dispatch is correct in saying that Sweeney introduced the in-

saying that Sweeney introduced the in-strument "into good society."

Mr. Hall says he first attempted solo work on the banjo at the Dearborn-Street Theatre in Chicago, and that the audience at first looked with surprise, but applause and encore rewarded the venture, and he played solos continually after that and everywhere they took well. In 1879 and 1889 he played abroad before the Prince of Wales and other notables. They Prince of Wales and other notables. They were highly pleased, and the banjo is still popular there. At first they would not believe but that there was a trick about it, but were soon convinced that it was due to legitimate means. It was a good many years after Sweeney's day before the instrument gained popularity, but now they are numerous and many ladies play.

How Silly.

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A number of old veterans in Virginia seem to prefer to have the battle-field at Appomattox remain a "waste place" rather than see it embellished for "the pleasure of northern tourists." Independent of the prejudice against the park which has recently developed, we confess that the movement appeared to us as quite proper and worthy of endorsement. Our opinion was formed from a practical view of the questior only, as between Appomattox unimproved and Appomattox rendered beautiful and attractive.—Charlottesville Progress.

We have noted the dyspeptic remarks of the Alexandria Gazette and have heard of the childish opposition from some sources to making a beautiful park at Appomatiox. We cannot conceive of a healthy, clear-headed and honest-hearted Confederate veteran raising a protest against the movement. There is no humiliation for the Confederate soldier in the surrender of Lee's army. On the contrary, the glory of his service and immortal record of his patriotism is there just as much as that of the Federal soldier is. There is as much for the South as for the North in these memorial places, and we think our friends are greatly mistaken when they deprepate the work of making these parks. Do we wish to bury and forest the deeds of valor and the history of our struggle? Surely not. Go on with the park project. It is good. To oppose it is silly prejudice and petulance.—The Norfolk Landmark.

The Popping Count. (Written for the Dispatch.)

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He popped across the ocean; he popped across the land;
And popped vpon a gee-gee, with the Meadow-Brook he ran;

Then-he popped the question, in accents very bland;
He'll soon be popping back again a very rich young man.

Bo, it seems, the art of popping, if the passion's very grand.

Has amongst the foreign hearts, popped into this land.

Cobham, Va.

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Hood's Pills say to by, very to take,

PUT IN PLAIN ENGLISH.

An Authority on the Wenther Contributes to the General Fund of Knowledge.

Knowledge.

The most famous American authority on the weather recently said: "The fatality (after the grip) is most marked when the humidity is at its maximum and there is a sudden fall of temperature." That means in plain English that consequences of grip are most deadily when dampness is followed by sudden cold. How often such a condition of weather has prevailed this winter is shown by the official statistics of grip.

Prudent people know how to atrengthen themselves after the grip. They will observe the usual precaution necessary in our fickle winter, and they will promptly correct any bodily ailment, no matter how small it is. A trifting chili, a cough, and fugitive aches in the back and shoulders linger long, sometimes, after an attack of grip.

They will not be followed by per-

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They will not be followed by permanent weakness if the body is warned and all its latent energies are roused by that best of all stimulants, Duffy's Pure Mait Whiskey. Skim, langs, stomach, and howels are quick to feel the good effects of this whiskey. Those who have been stricken by the grip remember how this stimulant has turned them on the road to health.

stimulant has turned them on the road to health. It is the crowning merit of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey that it puts the body in a state of defence. Giddiness and headache in the morning and tendency to take coid easily are overcome by this remedy. Strength and buoyancy supplant weakness and depression, so that the dreaded grin leaves no trace behind.

The old saw "forwarned, forearmed," would never have lived so long if it were not a sem of wisdom. It applies with great force to the sneedy recovery of grip by means of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

SUGGESTIONS ABOUT OUR SCHOOLS.

The Dinner Recess Should Be Longer.
To the Editor of the Dispatch:

I wish to enter a protest against the

rule prevailing at the present time of giving the children attending the grammar schools a recess of only fifteen min utes. The time is entirely too short, and is likely to be injurious to their health. I can speak with certainty in regard to my child (10 years old) attending Belvi dere School, who complains that she is hardly able to attend to her lessons in the afternoon, because she has not had time to eat her lunch on account of the noon recess being so short. In the first place, the pupils must go down in line, and slowly at that, on account of the unrafe condition of the staircase, to the yard; precious minutes are wasted at the hydrant, waiting for an opportunity to get the much-desired drink of water; then by the time the children have fairly commenced to eat their lunch the bell rines for them to form in line again. I claim the children should be allowed their thirty minutes, even if the weather is too unpleasant for them to play outdoors; they need that much time, and more, too, to refresh themselves for the duties of the afternoon. dere School, who complains that she i

doors; they need that much time, and more, too, to refresh themselves for the duties of the afternoon.

Another thing that is reprehensible is the crowded condition of the rehools, and especially the High School. Such a state of affairs as exists in that institution at the present time is anything but creditable to a city the size of Richmond, My son is in the "junior A class," High School, which numbers forty-eight pupils, and they are literally packed after the style of the familiar sardine into a small room, that becomes nopupils, and they are interainy packers after the style of the familiar sardine into a small room, that becomes nothing more than a bex from its lack of size, for its human contents and inadequate ventilation for the same. No wonder our "junior A's and Fs" come home with headaches and disordered stomachs after breathing such a vitiated atmosphere for five or six hours. What we urgently need for the accommodation of our children are more schools and well-built ones, with improved methods of ventilation, and let the good city of Richmond provide two high schools—one in the West, the other in the East End of the city. I suggest that the health officer, building inspector, and school directors visit (in a body) Bellevue School and the High School.

If the people of Richmond will only

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vigor, so that they may be considere
"up to date," they will get what they
need for the benefit of their children so that the latter may vie with the

so that the latter may vie with their fellow-students in younger cities of the North and West.

I agree in the opinion of many eminent physicians that all children should have an bour at least at noon for lunch and recreation.

Respectfully, PROGRESS. Richmond, Va., February 22, 1895.

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